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(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Takue Tsuji

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For: RUBBER COMPOSITION FOR ADHESIVE
BONDING

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Filing Receipt Corrections
Office of Initial Patent Examination
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madam:

Applicant hereby requests that a corrected Filing Receipt be issued in the above-identified patent application. The official Filing Receipt received by Applicant, a copy of which is attached hereto, has an error in

The title should read --**ADHESIVE RUBBER COMPOSITION**-- in lieu of "RUBBER COMPOSITION FOR ADHESIVE BONDING."

Applicant additionally requests that all pertinent U.S. Patent and Trademark Office records relating to the subject application be changed to reflect this correction.

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Applicant believes no fee is due with this request. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 22-0185, under Order No. 21713-00029-US1 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Title ADHESIVE RUBBER COMPOSITION

~~Rubber composition for adhesive bonding~~

Preliminary Class

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